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There were over fifteen applicants for the position of Matron of the Odd-fellows Widows and Orphans Home at Lexington.

On June 31st a waste parcel was lost in this city on Second street between Market and Commerce. Please return it to this office.

Last Saturday a pocket-book containing a small sum of money and pair of earrings, was lost either in New York Street or on crossing in front of same. Finder will please return to No. 1 East Front street and receive reward.



Will meet this evening at G. A. R. Hall, corner Third and Market streets, at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired. **SMITH NELSON, M. W.**
R. H. Wallace, Recorder.

BANK TAXES.

Next Sum Paid into the City Treasury For Taxes 1897 and 1898.

The Bank of Maysville, the First National Bank, the State National Bank, Mitchell, Finch & Co's Bank and the Union Trust Company effected a settlement, in accordance with the recent decision of the Courts, with the city for the taxes due for the years 1897 and 1898.

The settlement was made through Councilman George H. Heiser, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, and was on a basis of valuation of 86 2/3 per cent, the same as adopted in the settlement at Lexington.

Following is the amount paid by each of the Banks:

First National Bank	\$2,210.57
Bank of Maysville	1,655.93
State National Bank	2,310.40
Mitchell, Finch & Co's Bank	940.92
Union Trust Company	78.72
Total	\$7,296.64

The above institutions have made a proposition to the county to settle on the same basis, and a special meeting of the Fiscal Court has been ordered by Judge Newell for next Thursday to consider the matter.

THE YOUNG MEN.

What the Maysville Y. M. C. A. is Doing For Their Betterment.



Men's Rally Sunday Rev. John Barbour of Birmingham gave a very helpful address. His theme was "A Young Man Who Threw Away a Kingdom." His remarks were splendid, and everyone present was benefited by this address.

The musical program kindly arranged by Mrs. Randolph Madison was all that could be desired. Dr. Smoot and Mrs. Blaine of New York sang beautifully the duet "As Pants the Heart." Mrs. Blaine, who has an exquisite voice, sang with sweetness and effect the solo "Calvary." Mrs. Randolph Madison presided at the piano with that rare gift of technique and knowledge which class her among the fine performers of the city.

Seventy five attended the meeting, which was one of the best held for some time. Secretary A. H. Lamb led the meeting in the absence of Prof. Waller, and Mr. A. D. Cole led the singing, lemonade being served during the meeting.

"For Liver Troubles"

and constipation AYER'S PILLS are invaluable, always affording immediate relief. They are

The Best Pill.

R. S. MAYO, Edna, Minn.

Accident Insurance, EN ALEXANDER.
The Carter County Grand Jury returned 49 indictments this term as against 77 last.

George T. Kearns of Augusta is an applicant for the position of guard in the Frankfort Penitentiary, under the new Prison Board, appointed by the last Legislature.

Miss Fannie Hines of Mt Sterling, who is now taking the third year training at a Boston school, has been accepted by the Woman's Board of Missions of the Methodist Church, South, and will go as Missionary to Korea from the Kentucky Conference Society, which met in Millersburg recently.

The State Election Commission created by the Goshel Election Law will file a suit in the Bourbon County Circuit Court this week to establish the validity of the law.

An agreed state of facts has been made up. Judge Cantel has promised to docket the case for trial during the present term.

L. M. McCreary, W. M.

Sam T. Hickman, Secretary.

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FREE for a few months to all users of the celebrated ELASTIC STARCH (Flat Iron Brand). To induce you to try this brand of starch, so that you may find out for yourself that all claims for its superiority and economy are true, the makers have had prepared, at great expense, a series of

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Free show at Electric Park tonight.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor wretch, said to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle has absolutely cured me. I have not had so good health for twenty years. Respectfully, Mrs. Mary A. Brand, Claremore, Ark. Sold by J. James Wood, Druggist.

ABOUT BANK CHECKS.

The Drawer of the Check Must Put the Revenue Stamp On It.

Under the new War Revenue Law a 3-cent stamp must be put on every check drawn on a bank, and no one is allowed to affix the stamp except the person who draws the check.

The law is as follows, and it is so plain that no one ought to misunderstand it: "That if any person or persons shall make, sign or issue, or cause to be made, signed or issued, any instrument, document or paper of any kind or description whatsoever, without the same being duly stamped for denoting the tax thereby imposed thereon, or without having thereon an adhesive stamp to denote said tax, such person or persons shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of not more than \$100 at the discretion of the Court, and such instrument, document or paper as aforesaid shall not be competent evidence in any Court."

It is, therefore, necessary for every check to have a stamp placed on it before it is presented for payment, and no one is authorized to do this except the man who writes it. A merchant out in the state who pays for a bill of goods or makes a settlement by check is the one who must, under the law, put the stamp on the check, and HE MUST ALSO CANCEL IT. A failure to do this subjects the party to a fine of not more than \$100.

What a Pity!

J. JAMES WOOD and JOHN ARMSTRONG & SON, Agents.

Here is one of those who are either so prejudiced against all advertised remedies, or have become discouraged at the failure of other medicines to help them, and who with succor to the grim destroyer without knowing of the wonderful value of Foley's Honey and Tar for all Throat and Lung troubles.

For Mixed Paint that is guaranteed call at Henry W. Ray's Postoffice Drugstore.

Bad management keeps more people in poor circumstances than any other one cause. To be successful one must look ahead and plan ahead so that when a favorable opportunity presents itself he is ready to take advantage of it. A little forethought will also save much expense and valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy in the house, the shiftless fellow will wait until necessity compels him and then ruin his best horse going for a doctor and have a big doctor bill to pay besides. One pays out 35 cents, the other is out a hundred dollars, and then wonders why his neighbor is getting richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

10 Cents Pays your round-trip car fare and gives you a ticket to the show at Electric Park.

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Fin French Gingham, worth 25c, now 12c.
Colored Flannel, worth 50c, now 25c.
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Pineapple Lawn suitable for skirts, worth 15c, now 7c.
Fine Pink Linen, 15c, worth 10c.
Ladies' Ribbed Vests, 4c, worth 2c.
Ladies' and Men's Straw Goods, we cut the price in two; come and look at them.

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Is a beauty for you:

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- China Cream Pitchers at 9c.
- Decorated China Plates 9c. to 30c.
- Glass Lamps, complete, 17c., 22c., 29c.
- Carlsbad Decorated 13-piece Berry Set \$2.07.
- Brilliant Large Size Berry Bowls 16c.

CASH SALES ONLY made on these prices and you are invited to call and examine.

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21. 40 WEST SECOND STREET.

Patents and Positions applied for through associates in Washington, D. C. J. M. Collins, 35 West Third Street.

FOR SALE. VALUABLE SUBURBAN PROPERTY.

June 30th, 1898 at 10 o'clock a. m., on the premises, at public auction, we will sell to the highest and best bidder, 5 1/2 acres of land on Forest avenue, just outside the limits of the city of Maysville. On the lot is a splendid brick residence of 8 rooms, all necessary out-buildings and a good cistern. Can be easily divided into a number of good building lots. Terms made known on day of sale.

JOSEPH A. BROWNING, JAMES W. FITZGERALD.

CITY TAXES 1898!

On or after July 1st, Tax Receipts for 1898 are due and will be in my hands for collection.

JAMES W. FITZGERALD, City Treasurer.

OFFICE—Keith-Schroeder Harness Co.

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E. C. Blank of Louisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was worth \$50 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures eczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. Henry W. Ray, Postoffice Druggist.

Do You want any money? ... The old reliable Mason County has plenty of money to loan.

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